

IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF THE PHILLIPINES
FOR POULTRY EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES

1. Day-old Poultry
 - a. That the chicks did not come from a state or area under surveillance/quarantine for Avian Influenza.
 - b. That no case of Fowl Pest (Fowl Plague), Newcastle Disease, Avian Encephalomyelitis, Avian Leucosis, Marek's Disease, Infectious Bursal Disease, Viral Arthritis, Infectious Bronchitis, Infectious Laryngotracheitis, Fowl Typhoid or any infectious or contagious diseases had occurred in the farm of origin for the past 6 months.
 - c. That the day-old chicks originate exclusively from eggs produced by birds from breeding establishments which are free from Pullorum and Mycoplasmosis (M. gallisepticum & M. Synoviae).
 - d. That the farm/hatchery of origin have been inspected within 30 days prior to export and insofar as can be determined are found free from the diseases mentioned in 1-b.
 - e. That the chicks were hatched in an incubator in which no eggs from untested birds have been hatched and that the incubator was fumigated or disinfected immediately prior to the hatch.
 - f. That the day-old poultry are packed direct from the incubator into new boxes for export and have no contact with any birds other than the day-old poultry.
2. Hatching Eggs (All Species)
 - a. That the hatching eggs come from breeding establishments (hatcheries) which are regularly inspected by the veterinary authority.
 - b. That the eggs did not come from a state or area under surveillance/quarantine for Avian Influenza.
 - c. That no case of Fowl Pest (Fowl Plague), Newcastle Disease, Duck Plague (Duck Viral Enteritis), Duck Viral Hepatitis, Avian Encephalomyelitis, Leucosis, Marek's Disease, Infectious Bursal Disease, Viral Arthritis, Infectious Bronchitis, Infectious Laryngotracheitis, Fowl typhoid and Ornithosis has occurred in the farm of origin for the past 6 months.
 - d. That the eggs come from accredited Pullorum and Mycoplasma free flocks.
 - e. That the eggs have been disinfected before shipment.
 - f. That the eggs are dispatched in unused packages.
3. Game fowls
 1. Importation of Game fowls : Game fowls imported into the Philippines from any country shall be accompanied by a health certificate issued shortly before shipment by the proper veterinary authority at the point of embarkation certifying to the fact:
 - a. That the game fowls did not come from a state or area under quarantine for infectious diseases of poultry.
 - b. That the premises of origin have been inspected within 30 days prior to shipment and found free from evidence of infectious diseases and exposure thereto.
 - c. That the game fowls come from accredited pullorum and Mycoplasma-free flocks.

- d. That the fowls have been tested against Pullorum and Mycoplasma (M. gallisepticum & M. synoviae) ten days before shipment with negative results. In the case of hatching eggs, a certification that the eggs come from Pullorum and Mycoplasma free flocks will suffice.
 - e. That the fowls were examined immediately prior to shipment and found free from evidence of Newcastle Disease, Fowl Plague, Fowl Typhoid, Fowl Pox, Ornithosis and other infectious diseases of poultry.
2. Importation of Hatching Eggs : No hatching eggs shall be imported into the Philippines unless accompanied by a certificate carried shortly by proper authorities from the point of origin certifying to the fact that the eggs come from flocks that are free from infectious and contagious diseases of poultry.